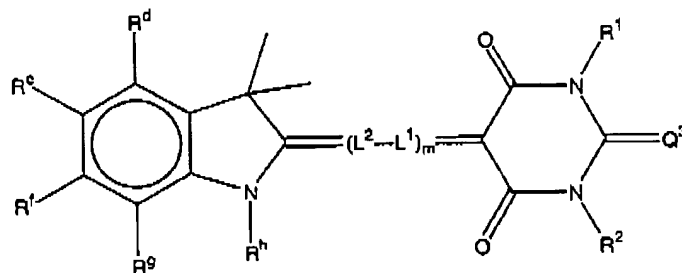


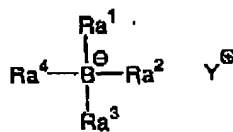
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wherein  $Q^3$  represents an oxygen atom or sulfur atom;  $R^1$  and  $R^2$  each independently represents a hydrogen atom, an aliphatic group, an aromatic group, or heterocyclic group;  $L^1$  and  $L^2$  each independently represents a methine group which may be substituted;  $m$  represents an integer of 1 to 3;  $R^d$ ,  $R^e$ ,  $R^f$  and  $R^g$  each independently represents a hydrogen atom or a monovalent substituent;  $R^h$  represents a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group, an alkenyl group, an aryl group or a heterocyclic group;

and an organoboron compound represented by the following formula (A):

Formula (A)



wherein  $R_a^1$ ,  $R_a^2$  and  $R_a^3$  each independently represents an aliphatic group, an aromatic group, a heterocyclic group, or  $-\text{Si}R_a^5R_a^6R_a^7$  where  $R_a^5$ ,  $R_a^6$ , and  $R_a^7$  each independently represents an aliphatic group or an aromatic group;  $R_a^4$  represents an aliphatic group; and  $Y^+$  represents a group capable of forming a cation.

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Please add the following new claims:

21. (New) The composition of claim 1, wherein  $Q^3$  of formula (8) represents a sulfur atom.

62 22. (New) The composition of claim 21, wherein at least one of  $R^d$ ,  $R^e$ ,  $R^f$  and  $R^g$  is an electron -withdrawing group.

23. (New) The composition of claim 22, wherein at least one of  $R^d$ ,  $R^e$ ,  $R^f$  and  $R^g$  is a sulfonyl group.

24. (New) The composition of claim 23, wherein at least one of  $R^d$ ,  $R^e$ ,  $R^f$  and  $R^g$  is a sufonyl alkyl group.